

SOCIAL EVENTS

HOSTESS TO WEBER CLUB.
Members of the Weber club were entertained Saturday afternoon by Miss Dorothy Bassett at her home, 1119 Twenty-first street, the usual order of an afternoon's entertainment being observed and the punch, usually served at the close of the afternoon was served at its beginning. The time was passed in playing games, in contests and a good time was had. The club will be entertained again in two weeks by Miss Lucia Long, 419 Twenty-third street.

OAKLEAF CAMP PARTY.
Oakleaf camp, Royal Neighbors, entertained at a card party and dance Saturday afternoon and evening at Woodmen hall, South Rock Island. In the afternoon both chess and 500 games were played and prizes in the chess games went to Miss Mary Nelson, Johnson and R. Heitzmann, and in the 500 games to Mrs. Sophie Olson and Mrs. Wesley. In the evening Charles Donovan, Charles Baumann, Mrs. Gus Shaffer and Mrs. Charles Tunn won the prizes in the chess games and Otto Miller, Gus Shaffer, Mrs. Will Baumann and Mrs. Gaethle were the prize winners in the 500 games. After the card games the evening was spent dancing the affair being very largely attended.

CLUB RECIPROCALITY DAY.
Reciprocity day was observed at the March meeting of the Moine Women's club, held Saturday afternoon in the First Congregational church under the direction of the civic department of that club. Mrs. C. K. Myster represented the civic department of the Rock Island Women's club and gave a paper on "Women and City Waste" in which she told of the manner in which the department of which she is chairman had assisted in cleaning the city streets, etc. Mrs. E. N. Coleman represented the Davenport club and told of the work that organization is doing for the city. L. M. Thompson of Rock Island addressed the club on the work of the Rock Island playgrounds and settlements, giving an address that contained much of interest and profit to the members.

GIRLS ORGANIZE MIZPHA CIRCLE.
The members of the girls' class of the First Methodist church, taught by Mrs. M. E. Swainey, met at the new annex Saturday and organized what will be known as the Mizpha circle. Officers were elected as follows:
Leader—Mrs. M. E. Swainey.
Assistant leader—Miss Mildred Rice.
Secretary—Miss Nancy Jones.
Treasurer—Miss Nina Reid.
Nervy and help committee—Miss Mae McMeekin and Edna Curry.

Each member pledges herself to perform some service for someone else and to give aid wherever she sees the opportunity. Misses Mildred Rice and May McMeekin acted as the hostesses for the afternoon and after the business has been transacted they served a lunch. St. Patrick's day emblems were used in decorating the serving table. The circle will meet once a month, the next meeting to be entertained by Misses Alice Pearson and Edna Curry.

W. R. C. SALE CLEARS \$25.
The sale of home bakery goods, conducted Saturday at Thomas' drug store, Second avenue and Seventeenth street, netted the Woman's Relief corps, under whose auspices it was given, \$25. This money will be used for the benefit of the corps.

BLUE BIRD CLUB HAS MEETING.
Miss Jeannette Doyle at her home on Twenty-eighth street and Fifth and a half avenue entertained the Blue Bird club Saturday evening. The decorations of the house were carried out with shamrocks and green flags and the girls wore costumes of green crepe paper. The Ouzonia, the club paper, was gotten out in shamrocks and gold lettering and was an attractive copy. In the contests the prizes were won by Misses Myra Wood, Irene Sandehn and Ida Cross. A buffet luncheon was served and the members enjoyed a merry evening. The next meeting of the club will be in the home of Miss Irene Sandehn.

REDS ENTERTAIN BLUES.
Twenty-five members of the Junior B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. H. M. Craig, 2217 Ninth avenue, Saturday afternoon to enjoy the fruits of their labor in their recent membership contest which was won by the Blues who were being entertained by the Reds. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with games of many kinds. A photograph was taken of the group. After the refreshments were served a musical program was given by Richard Tabor and Alice Jounay, members of the Junior society. All who were present passed themselves and agreed that it was great to belong to the Junior society.

SOCIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.
The O. E. S. Sewing circle will meet tomorrow afternoon at Masonic temple with Mrs. Charles B. Snyder and Mrs. Charles Newhan as hostesses. An item of importance to the chapter will be brought up and all members are earnestly requested to be present.
The Ladies' Aid society of the Memorial Christian church will conduct what they call "A Trip to Ireland" at the church Friday, March 19. At noon and again in the evening they will serve a cafeteria lunch, each article of food to be bought at a booth previously decorated in keeping with the occasion. A good program has been prepared and the friends of the society are invited to attend.
The Woman's Christian Temperance union will meet tomorrow afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. The topic for discussion will be "Rights of Women Under the Statutes of Illinois" with Miss Alwilda Young as the leader.
The Graduate Nurses' association of the Fifth district will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. A special speaker will be present to address the nurses.

PLAN CAMPAIGN FOR SUNDAY OBSERVANCE
The Ministerial alliance at its meeting of this morning adopted a plan of Sabbath observance which will be participated in by practically every pastor in the city. The first Sunday following Easter, April 11, again Sunday, April 18, and May 7 special sermons will be preached from the pulpits of the various churches on the observance of the Sabbath and topics suggested are:
April 11—"Remember the Sabbath Day to Keep it Holy."
April 18—"The Sabbath, a Day for Rest."
May 7—"The Sabbath and Its Relation to Our Recreations and Amusements."
The various pastors will preach sermons with these topics a their theme and will endeavor to awaken in their people the spirit of Sunday observance. The alliance also endorsed a proposition submitted by the Y. M. C. A. through its secretary L. H. Martin, to bring to the city Charles Stetzel, the great social worker. Plans for bringing him here are in the hands of the Y. M. C. A. and that organization will arrange for the date and the place of holding the meeting which Stetzel will address on the subject of social and industrial conditions.

FEDERATION COMMITTEE FAILS TO KEEP DATE
The meeting between the committee from the Tri-City Federation of Labor and the officials of the Tri-City Railway company was not held yesterday morning as planned because of a misunderstanding as to the date. General Manager Huntoon waited all morning at the company's offices in Davenport, but not one of the committee put in an appearance. However two of them came in the afternoon, but the rest failed to appear. The object of the meeting was to discuss the possibility of placing more cars on the Bridge line during the rush hours. A meeting will probably be arranged this week.

BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE TO MEET

TRICITY CONVENTION TO BE HELD THIS WEEK IN CALVARY CHURCH, DAVENPORT.

Baptist young people of Rock Island, Davenport and Moline will hold a convention in Davenport Thursday and Friday of this week, with General Secretary Chalmers of the B. Y. P. U. the chief speaker. Several hundred of the Baptist young people are expected to be present.
In addition to Secretary Chalmers, Professor J. A. Lapham, director of the Iowa Sunday schools and B. Y. P. U. associations; W. B. Morris, who holds the same office in Illinois, and Miss Irene Brockway, will be the out of town speakers on the program. The meetings will be held in Calvary Baptist church and the Ladies' Aid society of that church will serve supper on both evenings of the convention days.
The program for the meeting is as follows:
Thursday Afternoon, 2:30—Song and prayer service. Reports from Sunday schools based on the Standard—Professor Jay A. Lapham.
Address—"The Message of Amos"—President J. W. Bailey.
Address—"Attention! March"—Miss Irene Brockway.
Thursday Evening, 7:30—Opening devotion.
Address—"The Way to Win"—President J. W. Bailey.
Address—"The Tragedy at Babylon"—Dr. G. P. Mitchell.
Address—Miss Irene Brockway.
Friday Morning, 9:30—Praise and prayer.
Round table discussion of Baptist principles—Led by Dr. G. P. Mitchell.
Address—"Young People's Methods"—Director W. B. Morris, Illinois.
Adapting Lessons—Miss Irene Brockway.
Training Teachers and Workers—Secretary W. E. Chalmers.
Friday Afternoon, 1:15—Opening Devotion.
A Cooperating Exercise—"Bible Story Telling"—Miss Irene Brockway.
Principles and Methods of Teaching—W. E. Chalmers.
General discussion of B. Y. P. U. Standard—W. B. Morris and J. A. Lapham.
Friday Evening, 7:00—Conference on Elementary work—Miss Irene Brockway.
Address—"Falling Over Yourself"—Secretary W. E. Chalmers.
Closing exercises.

PRESBYTERIAN UNION WILL HOLD BIG RALLY
The executive committee of the Rock Island Presbyterian Young People's union, composed of Young People's societies of the four Presbyterian churches of the city have arranged for a union meeting on Tuesday evening, March 30. This service will be held at the Broadway church.
The theme of the evening is to center around young people's conventions, both Presbyterian and Christian Endeavor. The service is being advertised as a "Chicago booster" meeting. The purpose being to inform the young people not only of past conventions, but to also interest them in the world Christian Endeavor convention, which is to be held this summer at Chicago, to which the union will probably send delegates. It has been some time since the convention has been located in this part of the country and it is expected that a large delegation will attend from Rock Island. The world Christian Endeavor convention which was to have been held at Sidney, Australia, this year, has been combined with the national convention and so will be held at the same time. This is the first service which has been arranged in the city as a preliminary of the world convention.
Much interest is being shown in the attendance campaign which is being carried on by the individual societies. The union has offered a pennant to the society having the largest attendance for the evening. Captains have been selected by each society to enlist the members and friends of the society, to attend the service. The president of the union called for 300 volunteers. The campaign started last evening and will last until the 28th. From reports received last evening the prospects that the attendance will exceed the goal set by the president.
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CHURCHES

First Methodist.—This evening at 6:30 will be served the annual banquet of the Epworth league. The speaker will be Rev. Lewis Havermale and the subject on which he will talk "Miers, Idolaters, Idealists."
Tuesday evening at 8:30 the Social Service Study club will meet in the church annex for supper and at 7:40 in the assembly room, Burris H. Wilson will give an illustrated lecture on "Birds." This is free to the general public which is invited as guests of the club.
Prayer meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 in the church.
Thursday evening at 7:30 cottage prayer-meetings will be held in the homes of Mrs. T. Doney, 1229 Twelfth street preceding the business meeting of the Golden Rule Bible class with Dr. O. T. DeWitt as the leader, Mrs. W. A. Darling, 949 Nineteenth street with A. M. Bruner as leader.
The Harriet Henderson Memorial class will meet Thursday evening at the church the time of meeting having been changed from Tuesday evening.
Friday at 7 o'clock the Ladies' Aid society will hold a work meeting in the dining room of the church preparing for the banar and supper to be given April 9, also for the "Trip Around the World," May 15.
The annual thank offering of the Woman's Foreign Mission society will be taken next Sunday morning. Ames College Glee club will sing at the church next Sunday morning and evening. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the probationers' meeting will be held at the church. All who wish to unite with the church Easter Sunday are invited to this meeting.

United Presbyterian.—Wednesday evening prayer services will be held at the church.
Friday afternoon the Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Martha Hoque, 1124 First avenue.
Friday evening the church trustees and session will meet in the church.

First Lutheran.—Mid-week prayer services will be held Wednesday evening in the chapel.
Thursday afternoon the Ladies' Aid society will hold a mission coffee for the benefit of the Woman's Home and Foreign Mission society in the chapel.
Central Presbyterian.—There will be a special meeting of the board of trustees this evening at the home of W. N. Phillips.
The choir will meet for rehearsal Tuesday evening at the church.

The subject for the exposition Wednesday evening will be Romans, the ninth chapter.
An important business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Wiles, 1232 Twelfth street. A report of the year's work will be given, new officers will be elected, and other business will be transacted.
The moving pictures, Friday evening will be a special 3-reel feature film called "When Home Ruled." This is a wonderful drama of the early Christian trials. It has plenty of thrills and plenty of action. There will be but one performance Friday at 7:30 and one performance Saturday afternoon at 2:30.
Memorial Christian.—The meeting of the men of the church announced for this evening has been postponed.
Wednesday evening mid-week prayer services will be held in the church.
The Ladies' Aid society will have "A Trip to Ireland" at the church Friday and will serve a cafeteria lunch both at noon and in the evening.

German Evangelical.—The choir will meet for rehearsal Tuesday evening.
Tuesday and Friday afternoons the confirmation class will meet in the church.
Thursday afternoon the Ladies' society will meet for work in the church.
Friday evening the adult confirmation class is asked to meet at the church.
Sunday evening will be held the public examination of the confirmation class.

German Lutheran.—The Young People's society will meet at the church Tuesday evening.
The Ladies' Sewing society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. E. C. Schadt, 2614 Fourteenth avenue.
Lenten services will be held Thursday evening at the church.
Zion Lutheran.—Mid-week prayer services will be held Wednesday evening at 7:45 in the chapel.
The confirmation class will meet Friday afternoon at 4 at the chapel.

Grace Lutheran.—The confirmation class will meet Wednesday evening at 7 at the church. Prayer services will be held at 8 o'clock at the church.
The Mission band will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 in the church.
German Methodist.—The Ladies' Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon

at 2 o'clock with Mrs. H. J. Kottkamp, 697 Fourteenth street. Members of the church are welcome.
Next Sunday evening the third quarterly conference will be held at the church. Rev. F. L. Mahle, district superintendent, will be present and assist in the services.
Broadway Presbyterian.—This evening at 7:30 the community training school will meet at the Y. M. C. A. Rev. R. S. Haney of Moline will be the speaker.
Wednesday evening at 7:30 prayer services will be held at the church and the topic is "An Advocate With the Fathers."
Thursday afternoon at 4 the Junior association will meet at the church.
Friday evening at 6:30 the Men's club will meet for the monthly business session and supper. L. S. McCabe will be host of the evening and has invited all men of the church and congregation to be his guests at this time. A varied program will be given by members of the club.
South Park Presbyterian.—This evening at 7 the choir will meet for rehearsal.
Wednesday afternoon at 4:15 the Junior association will meet. Prayer services will be held at 7:30 and teachers' training class will meet at 8:15.
Friday afternoon at 2:30 the Woman's Mission society will meet with Mrs. R. L. Baird, 2626 Teath avenue.
Trinity Episcopal.—The confirmation class will meet this evening at 7:30.
Trinity Boys' club will meet this evening at 7 in the parish house.
Doras guild will meet this evening at 7:30 in the rectory.
The Vestment guild will meet at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the parish house.
Trinity guild will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 in the parish house.

First Baptist.—Prayer services Wednesday evening will be followed by a meeting of the Sunday school teachers.
Friday afternoon the monthly coffee party of the Ladies' Aid society will be held at the home of Mrs. S. J. Woodin, 922 First avenue. She will be assisted by Mrs. Starr, Mrs. Mary Johnson and Mrs. Will Woodin.
A new deepest hole in the earth is a well that has been bored in Silesia to a depth of 7,345 feet being lined with iron tubing.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

WORTH KNOWING.
To curl ostrich feathers after being out in the rain, hang hat upside down over a heater or stove, shaking occasionally. This will make them curl up again.
Stove Polish—When applying stove polish, whether of the liquid or paste variety, use a small paint brush, for it does not soil the hands and reaches all the corners and the little seams so hard to get at any other way. The brush when not in use should be kept in a cupful of water to prevent it hardening.
Sewing Hint—To prevent a pocket from tearing, fasten the last hook and eye, and hammer them together. The strain will come on them and not on the goods.
Crisp Crust—Before filling in a pie, run some white of egg thinly over the bottom crust. This prevents the juice from soaking into the bottom crust and making it soggy.
Setting Colors—Red and pink may be permanently set by dipping material into turpentine. This is particularly useful when using these colors to trim garments.

A LITTLE PLANNING CUTS DOWN HOUSEHOLD EXPENSES
When wheat flour is high, cut down the allowance of white bread and use instead whole wheat, graham and corn breads and muffins. Since entire wheat flour contains all the gluten of the wheat it is only logical that a loaf of whole wheat bread, with its added degree of food value, will "go farther" than a white loaf and it is not difficult for one's taste to become educated to it. Graham bread is a close second to entire wheat, either of them containing considerably more protein, fat and mineral matter than the white loaf.
Use more of the cereals, oatmeal, cornmeal, rice and barley and buy them in bulk from a reliable grocer.
These will come to you as wholesome as the boxed varieties and considerably cheaper.
Use less pastry desserts.
Upon this I would place special stress, as many people forget to include them in the process of elimination. Substitute for them fresh, stewed or canned fruits, custards, puddings of left-over cereals, cornstarch and gelatine.
Your stomach will be the gainer thereby, this being one of the instances which justify the saying: "Great are the uses of adversity."
To lower your meat bills and even up expenditures, learn about and use the many good combinations of rice and meats and rice vegetables.
Delicious cream soup, splendid in food value, can be prepared from rice and barley; while baked rice with cheese and rice griddle cakes, croquettes and various desserts are still to be tried by many.
The following recipes may be helpful in combating the high price bugaboo.
Southern Beef and Rice—This quantity will serve four and is delicious and inexpensive. To one-half pound of ground round steak (raw add one cupful of boiled rice, one cupful canned tomatoes, one small onion cut into bits, one teaspoonful butter, salt and pepper. Bake in a moderate oven about one hour.
All the news all the time—The

HEART and HOME PROBLEMS

MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a boy of 17 and am in love with a girl two years my senior, but I am in love with another girl.
Which of the girls should I go with?
F. B. W. JR.

Go with both the girls. A boy of your age is too young to settle down to one.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: (1) When an announcement of a birth is received, is it proper to send a present or congratulations?
(2) How about a wedding announcement?
THANK YOU.
(1) Either are all right.
(2) Congratulations are enough.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: While at a party two years ago I met a college man two years my senior and danced with him twice during the evening. When I explained to him that I was married he seemed surprised, as he had not caught the prefix "Mrs." in the introduction. He was a gentleman, very well educated and quite handsome.

I have been married eight years, am 25 years of age and have two beautiful little children. My husband is prominent in business and social circles. He was the first and only man with whom I ever kept company, and so, of course, I have had no other love affair. We have always been happy in our little home. I am not a pretty girl, but I always try to be kind to everyone and make our home a happy one. This young man called at our home several times upon my husband's invitation. And one evening after greetings were over, he sat down in a chair and dropped his head in his hands. My husband told him that if he were in trouble to come to him. He said, "I have had a great revelation." He then confessed in my husband's presence that he loved me with all his soul. He had never before spoken a word of love to me. He said he knew he should go away and not see me again, but his business prevented him from going away. He asked my husband if he would allow him, our friend, to come as he had always done and spend the evening with us both, so that he might be near me, nothing more than that. We thought it was a question for an entirely impartial person to answer, and so we agreed to leave it to you. The man says that he will never marry and he only asks to live in the sunshine of our home. Can we deny him this one consolation?
THE WIFE.

It will be better all around if you do not let this man come to your home. He himself will be happier in the end if he finds interests elsewhere; and your home will be free from a cloud which would inevitably hang over it. If the man comes you will either learn to care for him or his very presence will be distasteful to you.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a girl 16 years old. A young man who lives in the same street always speaks when he passes. I have never been introduced to him. He has lived near



is quite a while. Is it proper for me to return his bow?
X.
Yes; you live in the same neighborhood and know that the young man is respectable. This is not at all the same thing as speaking to a man whom a girl happens to meet downtown every day, but never sees elsewhere, and young girls who feel flattered when strange men speak to them must not assume that this answer fits their case.

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